# The SMALL-POX HOSPITAL in Cold-Bath Fields.

South Front.

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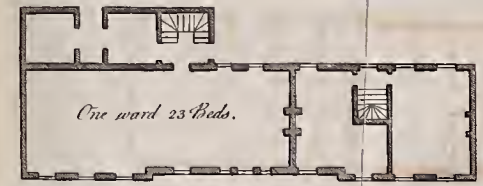
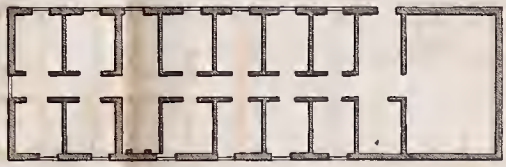



*Plan of one Story for Innoculation & Dwelling House, Built in the Year 1758.*



*Plan of one Story for the Natural Disease 26 Beds, Two Beds in a Room.*

*The New Building near* PANCRAS, *intended for the House of* PREPARATION.

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*A Scale of Feet.*

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# RULES *and* ORDERS

## Of the HOSPITALS for the SMALL-POX and INOCULATION.

I. THAT the Affairs of this Society be conducted and managed by a Preſident, four Vice-Preſidents, a Treaſurer, and all the Governors; together with ſuch Officers and Servants as may from time to time be thought neceſſary.

II. That all Perſons, who pay Five Guineas yearly to the Support of this Charity, be Governors ſo long as they continue ſuch Contribution; and all who beſtow Benefactions of Thirty Guineas or upwards, at one time, or having paid

two annual Subſcriptions of five Guineas each, by paying a Sum not leſs than Twenty Guineas at one Time, may become Governors for Life; with ſuch others as ſhall be elected from time to time at a General Court. And that all Subſcriptions of a leſs Sum than five Guineas be received as Donations only, without giving any Privilege to the Subſcriber.

III. That a General Court (to which every Governor ſhall be ſummoned, and have a Vote) be held half-yearly, (to wit,) one between *Lady-Day* and *Midſummer*, and the other between *Michaelmas* and *Chriſtmas*, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon; to take the Reports of the Committees, and tranſact ſuch other Buſineſs as may be laid before the Court; and that every General Court conſiſt of Thirteen Governors at leaſt.

IV. That a Houſe-Committee be appointed at every half-yearly General-Court, conſiſting of Thirteen Governors; who, at their firſt Meeting, ſhall chooſe, from among themſelves, a Chairman for the enſuing Half-year; and that every other Governor who attends that Committee, though

though not of the Number choſen, ſhall be eſteemed a Member of the ſame; and, in caſe of an Equality of Voices, the Chairman ſhall have a caſting Vote. If the Chairman, choſen for the Half-year, is not preſent, the Governors who make the Committee may appoint another Governor, of thoſe who are preſent, to take the Chair during his Abſence, who ſhall act in his ſtead; and it ſhall be deemed a juſt Committee, if held at the Place and Time appointed, provided three Governors are preſent; and ſhall proceed to do Buſineſs accordingly. The Houſe-Committee ſhall have Power to contract for, order, and examine, the Diet and Proviſions, and all Goods ſent in by the ſeveral Tradeſmen for the Uſe of the Charity, and ſee that they are bought at a fair Price and good of their Kind; to take Care that no Goods, exceeding the value of ten ſhillings, be ſent in to either Houſe, by any of the Tradeſmen, without the Committee's Order in Writing; to order any Conveniences that may from time to time be wanting; to examine into the Conduct of the Officers, Servants, and Patients; to have Power to ſuſpend or diſcharge any of the ſaid

Officers

Officers or Servants for Miſbehaviour or Neglect of Duty, and to appoint others to officiate in his, her, or their room, until the Senſe of a General-Court be farther known; to inſpect the Hoſpital Accounts; to order Payment of the Bills, after they have been examined, and allowed to be fair and juſt, by a Committee of Accounts; and to make ſuch Rules as regard their own Meetings and Conduct, provided they be not contradictory to any Rule or Order of a General-Court: That this Committee meet the firſt *Thurſday* in the Month, at the *General Hoſpital*, in *Cold-Bath-Fields*, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; and on the other *Thurſdays* at St. *Martin's le Grand Coffee-Houſe*, at Five in the Afternoon; or at any other Hour or Place, which the ſaid Committee ſhall find convenient for the Buſineſs of the Charity, or ſhall adjourn to: And that the Committee, at their laſt Meeting before the half-yearly General Court, do conſider of proper Perſons to be propoſed to the Court for its Approbation as a Houſe-Committee for the next Half-year; which, with ſuch other Matters as have been tranſacted during the ſaid Half-year, ſhall be reported in Writing,

Writing, and laid before the ſaid General-Court; and the Houſe-Committee at their laſt Meeting, before the General-Court, to be held between *Lady-Day* and *Midſummer*, ſhall conſider of ſeven of the Governors to be propoſed at ſuch Court as a Committee of Accounts for the enſuing Year; who ſhall meet quarterly; two of whom being preſent ſhall proceed to Buſineſs; of examining the Tradeſmen's Bills for the preceding Quarter, and comparing them with the Books ordered to be kept at the Hoſpitals; and, if found true, they ſhall order them to be laid before the Houſe-Committee, who ſhall direct them to be paid.

V. That the Preſident, and, in his Abſence, any of the Vice-Preſidents, or the Treaſurer, ſhall have Power to call a General-Court, at any other Time than the ordinary General-Courts are preſcribed; one Week's Notice being given to each Governor, and an Advertiſement publiſhed in ſome of the Daily-Papers; and if the Houſe-Committee, or Thirteen Governors, by a Writing under their hands, deſire a General-Court, the Preſident, or Vice-Preſidents, or, in their Abſence,

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the Treaſurer, ſhall call one in like Manner: And that the particular Buſineſs, for which any extraordinary Court is called, be expreſſed in the Summons, and firſt entered upon and determined before any thing elſe is propoſed.

VI. That at a General-Court, in the Abſence of the Preſident and Vice-Preſidents, the Treaſurer ſhall take the Chair; and, in his Abſence, the Chairman of the Houſe-Committee; and, if he be abſent, ſome other Perſon ſhall be appointed Chairman by the Governors preſent: That the Chairman of this Court, or of any Committee, ſhall not refuſe to propoſe any Queſtion, or have Power to adjourn or diſſolve the Court or Committee, without the Conſent of a Majority of the Governors preſent, until the Buſineſs be wholly finiſhed; and, in caſe of his Refuſal to propoſe the Queſtion, or attempt to adjourn or diſſolve the Court or Committee, the Majority of the Governors preſent may appoint ſome other Governor to act as Chairman, as if ſuch Chairman was abſent.

VI. That every Perſon, ſpeaking at a General Court or Committee, ſhall addreſs himſelf to the

the Chair; and no Perſon to be allowed to ſpeak more than Twice on any one Subject without Leave; and, if two offer to ſpeak at the ſame Time, the Chairman ſhall direct which of them ſhall proceed; and, if a Diſpute ariſe on any Queſtion, ſuch Queſtion ſhall be fairly ſtated by the Chairman, and determined by the holding up of Hands, or dividing, as the Chairman ſhall direct; but, if a Ballot ſhall be demanded, before they ſhall divide, by five Members, the ſame ſhall be entered on immediately, and determined by one general Ballot; and, in caſe of an Equality of Votes, the Chairman ſhall have a caſting Vote.

VIII. That, at the General-Court, held between *Lady-Day* and *Midſummer*, the Preſident, Vice-Preſidents, and Treaſurer, and likewiſe the Committee of Accounts, be choſen out of all the Governors; as alſo the ſeveral Officers of this Charity; who ſhall hold their reſpective Offices for one Year.

IX. That the Minutes of the Proceedings of every General-Court and Committee be read over

before ſuch Court or Committee be diſſolved or adjourned, and ſigned by the Chairman; which ſhall be firſt read at the next Meeting, and, if approved of, confirmed, before any other Buſineſs is entered upon.

X. That there be a Phyſician and two Apothecaries, one of which Apothecaries ſhall dwell in the General-Hoſpital, and the other in the Houſe of Preparation; and, in caſe of a Vacancy by the Death, Reſignation, or Diſmiſſion of the preſent or any future Phyſician, or either of the Apothecaries, ſuch Vacancy be filled up by the Houſe-Committee, until the Senſe of the next General-Court can be known; and, in caſe of the Reſignation of any of theſe Perſons, he ſhall give one Month's previous Notice thereof to the Houſe-Committee.

XI. That there be an Annual Meeting of the Governors and Subſcribers between *Lady-Day* and *Midſummer*, on a Day to be appointed by the Preſident, or, in his Abſence, by the Vice-Preſidents, or, in their Abſence, by the Treaſurer, or by the Houſe Committee, for an Anniverſary Feaſt;

Feaſt; when a printed Report of the State of the Hoſpitals, and an Abſtract of the Accounts to the 24th of *March*, in every Year, ſhall be laid before them, at which time no other Buſineſs ſhall be tranſacted.

XII. That no Governor ſhall be preſent while any Demand or Claim of his is under Conſideration.

XIII. That all Ladies, who are or ſhall be Governors of theſe Hoſpitals, may ſend their Proxy in Writing, to any Governor, to vote for them at any General Election.

XIV. That all Annual Contributions, paid in any part of a Quarter, be reckoned to commence the enſuing Quarter-Day.

XV. That proper Tables of the Rules and Orders, which relate to the Conduct of the Officers, Servants, and Patients, be hung up in fit Places in each Houſe, as the Houſe-Committee from time to time ſhall think proper.

*Recommendation and Admiſſion of* PATIENTS.

I. THAT every Governor have Power to ſubſtitute another to ſign Recommendations for him; but he muſt ſend previous Notice, to either Houſe, of the Name of ſuch Perſon ſubſtituted, otherwiſe the Patient ſo recommended cannot be received.

II. That no Perſon under the Age of Seven Years be admitted a Patient of theſe Hoſpitals; but, if brought to the Hoſpital at *Pancras* any Morning before Nine o'Clock, will be inoculated and furniſhed with Medicines, as an Out-Patient, ſubject to the Directions of the Phyſician.

III. That all Perſons, who apply to be relieved by this Charity, ſhall bring a Letter of Recommendation, ſigned by a Governor.

IV. Patients, taken with the Small-Pox, being recommended as above, are admitted every Day at the Hoſpital in *Cold-Bath Fields*, on depoſiting One Pound Two Shillings, bringing with them

them neceſſary clean Apparel; but Enquiry muſt firſt be made at the Hoſpital if there is Room, that a Diſappointment may be prevented.

V. Patients for Inoculation of Seven Years old, or upwards, being alſo recommended as above, will be admitted at the Hoſpital at *Pancras* every Morning, provided they are there before Nine o'Clock, on depoſiting Five Shillings, and bringing with them neceſſary clean Apparel.

VI. The Depoſit of One Pound Two Shillings, of the natural Patients, is returned upon the Receipt being produced, if they are taken away by their Friends, unleſs they are buried by the Charity, or have broken the Rules and Orders of the Houſe; by which Miſconduct, or running away, the whole Depoſit, and their Clothes left behind, will be forfeited to the Uſe of the Charity. The inoculated Patients likewiſe, for the ſame Reaſons, are liable to the ſame Forfeiture of their Money and Clothes.

*Particular*

## *Particular* RULES *to be obſerved relating to the* HOSPITALS, *and the Conduct of them.*

I. THAT the Keys of the Poor's Boxes be kept by the Treaſurer and the Phyſician, and the Money found therein taken out once a Year, or oftener.

II. That the Friends of the Patients be admitted to viſit them on *Tueſdays* and *Fridays*; and at no other time, unleſs by the Appointment of the Governor recommending, and with the Approbation of the Phyſician: (except Governors, or in the Preſence of a Governor).

III. That no Officer or Servant of the Hoſpital, or other Perſon any way belonging to it, preſume to take, of any Governor, Tradeſman, Patient, Stranger, or others, any Fee, Reward, or Gratification, of any Kind, directly or indirectly, for any Service done or to be done, on account of the Hoſpital, on pain of returning the ſame, and forfeiting the like Sum into the Poor's Box, and of being immediately diſcharged.

IV. That

IV. That the Apothecary and Matron of each Houſe ſhall never, on any Occaſion, be both abſent at one and the ſame Time from the Houſe under their Care.

V. That any Acquaintance or Friend of any Patient, who ſhall preſume to give Money, or any other Gratuity, to any Nurſe or Servant, or ſhall entice any Patient to get over the Wall, or hold any Converſation with them there, ſhall not be admitted to viſit them in the Hoſpitals.

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## PHYSICIAN.

I. THAT he attend daily the *General Hoſpital*; and the *Houſe of Preparation*, to inoculate the Patients, examine them, give ſuch Orders, direct their Diet, and preſcribe ſuch Medicines, as he ſhall think fit.

## SECRETARY *and* RECEIVER.

I. THAT there be a Secretary, who ſhall be Receiver, and find two good Sureties to the Satisfaction of the Houſe-Committee,

to

to be bound with himſelf in the Penalty of Two Hundred Pounds, for the faithful Diſcharge of his Duty and Truſt as Secretary and Receiver.

II. That he be preſent at all General Courts and Committees at the Hours appointed.

III. That he keep the Books and Accounts in a methodical Manner; and do all ſuch Buſineſs as is requiſite and commonly done by Secretaries and Receivers at other Hoſpitals.

IV. That he do pay into the Banker's Hands, in the Names of the Donors or Subſcribers, all the Money he ſhall receive, weekly; and that the Banker's and all neceſſary Books be laid on the Table every Committee and General Court.

## APOTHECARIES *in General.*

I. THAT neither of the Apothecaries be married Men.

II. That each Apothecary find two good Sureties, to the Satisfaction of the Houſe-Committee, to be bound with himſelf in the Penalty of One Hundred

Hundred and Ten Pounds, with a Condition thereunderwritten, for the faithful Diſcharge of his Duty as Apothecary, and alſo as Steward of the Houſe to which he belongs; and alſo for giving one Kalendar Month's Notice in Writing to the Houſe-Committee of his Intention of quitting the Service of the Hoſpital, and, in default of ſuch Notice, to forfeit Ten Pounds, for the Uſe of the Charity; and that ſuch Bonds be depoſited in the Hands of the Treaſurer for the Time being.

III. That they do not practiſe as Apothecaries out of the Hoſpitals; or attend any other Buſineſs than that of this Charity.

IV. That they never be abſent from their Houſes, on any Account, without leaving a Note in the Diſpenſary where they are to be found.

V. That they examine all Proviſions brought into their own particular Houſe; Coals, Candles, Bread, Beer, and other Neceſſaries, as to Quantity and Quality; and deliver them to the Care

of the Matrons, or according to the Order of the Houſe-Committee.

VI. That they viſit the Patients, in their ſeveral Wards, every Morning before Eight o'Clock, that they may be able to inform the Phyſician of the Condition of each Patient; and alſo as often as occaſion requires: and ſee that the Patients take their Medicines as preſcribed by the Phyſician.

VII. That they take care of the Utenſils, Drugs, and Medicines, of the Diſpenſary, and ſee that none be waſted, ſpoiled, or embezzled; and make up, label, and deliver out, the Medicines, according to the Preſcription of the Phyſician; punctually, carefully, and faithfully, obſerving his Orders.

VIII. That they always attend the Phyſician at his Hours; and be at Home before Eleven o'Clock at Night at fartheſt.

IX. That they never lie out of the Hoſpital without ſpecial Leave of the Houſe-Committee; and, in ſuch Caſe, that they reſpectively appoint another Apothecary, who ſhall be approved of by the

the Houſe-Committee and the Phyſician, to officiate in his or their Places.

X. That they lay before the Houſe-Committee, at every Meeting, an Account of what Things are wanting in each Houſe reſpectively, for their Approbation; and that they do not give Directions for any Goods, or other Things, without their Order; and that they inform the ſaid Committee from time to time of any Miſbehaviour in the Servants, and of all Irregularities in their reſpective Houſes.

XI. That they keep Accounts of all Goods and Proviſions ſent into their Houſes; and that each Perſon have a proper and ſeparate Account, in Books provided for that Purpoſe; and that they daily enter the ſeveral Goods that are delivered, with their Prices; ſo that, at the End of the Quarter, the Account, kept by them, may be compared with the Bills delivered by the Tradeſmen.

XII. That, when any Perſon takes Matter from any Patient, they ſee that he puts into the Poor's

Box Half-a-Guinea, if the ſame be ſufficient to inoculate three Patients; but, if for more, then One Guinea; except the Phyſician of this Charity, who ſhall have Liberty to take the ſame *gratis*, if it be for his own Uſe; but, if for any other Perſon, then that he do pay the ſame.

## APOTHECARY *of the* GENERAL HOSPITAL *in particular.*

I. THAT he fix a Ticket on every Patient's Bed, in the Natural Way, ſpecifying their Names, Age, by whom recommended, and Times of Admiſſion, when they were firſt ſeized with the Diſeaſe, and the Time of the Eruption of the Puſtules.

II. That he keep Regiſters of the Natural and Inoculated Patients, containing their Names, Times of Admiſſion, Places from whence they came, Age, Buſineſs, Iſſue of the Diſeaſe, and by whom recommended.

III. That he give Receipts for the Depoſit-Money of the Natural Patients; and pay the ſame

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on their Diſcharge, or Burial at the Expence of their Friends, to the Perſon who produces the Receipt for ſuch Depoſit-Money; but, if buried at the Charge of the Charity, then he is to pay the ſame to the Undertaker, at the Time of Burial; and take Receipts for all ſuch Payments.

IV. That, whenever a Patient ſhall happen to die, he do forthwith give Notice thereof to the proper Friends of ſuch Patients.

V. That a Letter of Thanks be filled up by him for every Patient, when diſcharged, to be given to the Governor who had recommended them; and alſo a Note for every Patient to return Thanks in their reſpective Places of Public Worſhip.

## APOTHECARY *of the* HOUSE *of* PREPARATION *in particular.*

I. THAT he keep a diſtinct Book for each Sex, containing the Names of the Patients and Places of Abode, Names of the Governors who recommend, Dates of the Recommendations,

mendations, the Days they came to his Hands, and where they are to have Notice ſent them of the Days of their Admiſſion.

II. That he give a Receipt, or Acknowledgement in Writing, to every Governor, for their Letter of Recommendation of every Perſon to be inoculated, as the ſame ſhall from time to time come to his Hands.

III. That, upon receiving a Recommendation from a Governor, he admit the Patient, and enter the ſame in the proper Book immediately; provided that ſuch Governor has not at that Time a Patient in the Houſe; in which Caſe he muſt write a Letter to the Governor, informing him that the Perſon recommended cannot be admitted, and therefore the preſent Recommendation cannot take place.

IV. That he acquaint each Governor when ſuch Patients recommended by them are admitted, and when he will have another Vacancy.

V. That he take, in Truſt, the Patients Money, upon their Admiſſion at his Houſe; and

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ſend it, with the Acounts of the ſame, to the Apothecary of the *General-Hoſpital*, upon the Patients being removed thither; where it ſhall be kept by the ſaid Apothecary till the Patients are diſcharged.

## APOTHECARY *or* MATRON *at each Hoſpital.*

I. THAT, whenever Patients are admitted, they ſhall ſee them properly received; having firſt of all (in the Preſence of thoſe who bring them) taken away, by a thorough Search, all their Money, in order to prevent the Patients obtaining Spirituous Liquors, or any thing elſe that may be injurious to their Health; ſuch Money is either to be given back at that Time to their Friends, or elſe, being ſet down with their Clothes, in a Book provided for that Purpoſe, to be kept in their Cuſtody, while the Patients remain in the Hoſpital, in order to be returned to them, or to their Friends, at the Time they are diſcharged.

II. That they likewiſe at the ſame Time do write, or cauſe one of thoſe who come with the Patients

Patients to write down in a proper Book, what Clothes and other Things are brought in with them, and that they ſign the ſame; and whatever ſhall be ſent afterwards to each Patient muſt be entered there accordingly; ſo that, whether the Patients do well or otherwiſe, they, or their Friends, may be ſure to receive, without any Miſtake, all that belongs to them, agreeable to ſuch an exact Account.

III. That they inform the Patients' Friends what Apparel may be wanted for them, that they may be properly furniſhed; beſides, it is their conſtant Buſineſs to inquire of the Patients themſelves what their Wants are, and to make Application to the proper Perſons, that ſuch Wants may be duly ſupplied.

IV. That they be not abſent from the Houſe together, without Leave of the Houſe-Committee or Phyſician.

## MATRONS *of both Houſes.*

I. THAT they ſee all the Patients obſerve the Rules of the Hoſpitals; the Nurſes, and other Servants, do their Duty; and, in caſe of Miſbehaviour or Neglect, that they acquaint the Houſe-Committee therewith.

II. That they go round their reſpective Houſes every Night, and ſee that the Patients go to Bed in due Time, *viz.* from *Michaelmas* to *Lady-Day* at Nine o'Clock, and from *Lady-Day* to *Michaelmas* at Ten o'Clock at Night.

III. That they acquaint the Apothecaries what Proviſions are neceſſary for their reſpective Houſes; and that they weigh, meaſure, and examine, all Proviſions when they come in; ſee that they be good, ſuch as charged in the Bills ſent therewith, and according to the Order iſſued for the ſame; and keep a daily Account of the Quantities uſed by Weight and Meaſure, and ſuffer none to be waſted or carried out.

IV. That they take care of all the Houſehold Goods and Furniture belonging to the reſpective Houſes under their Care, and be ready to give an Account thereof when required.

V. That they take care of and keep the Keys of the Doors; and that they be always locked from *Michaelmas* to *Lady-Day* at Six in the Evening, and not opened before Eight in the Morning; and locked from *Lady-Day* to *Michaelmas* at Nine in the Evening, and not opened before Seven in the Morning, unleſs upon extraordinary Occaſions; and that they admit an Officer, or Servant, reſiding in the Hoſpital, before Eleven o'Clock at Night, but not afterwards.

VI. That they be not abſent from their reſpective Houſes, without Leave of the Houſe-Committee or Phyſician.

VII. That they do not receive any Patient into the Hoſpital without an Order of the Committee or of a Governor.

VIII. That, if they know of any of the Rules of the Hoſpital being tranſgreſſed, they give

Notice

Notice thereof to the Houſe-Committee at their next Meeting.

IX. That they take care of what Cloaths and Apparel, or other Effects, are brought into their Houſe by the Patients; that they may be returned to them, or to their Friends, when diſcharged.

## NURSES.

I. THAT they diligently attend the Patients, and keep their Beds in a neat and decent Manner; obſerve the Orders of the Matron and their other Superiors; ſee that the Rules made for the Patients be exactly complied with; and that they behave themſelves with Tenderneſs to the Patients, and with Civility and Reſpect to Strangers.

II. That they do not receive any Preſent, Acknowledgement, or Gratuity, either in Money, Treats, or any Thing whatſoever, from any of the Patients, or their Friends, either during their being under the Care of this Charity, or after

their Diſcharge; nor from any Tradeſman, or any other Perſon.

III. That they ſhall not, on any Pretence, be abſent from their reſpective Wards, but that all Errands ſhall be done by ſome proper Perſons, by Directions of the Matron.

IV. That they clean their Wards every Day; by Seven in the Morning, from the Firſt of *March* to the Firſt of *October*; and before Nine, from the Firſt of *October* to the Firſt of *March*; and that ſpecial Care be taken at all Times that the Utenſils be kept neat and clean.

V. That they do not convey or carry out of the Houſe any Proviſions, or other Things, belonging to it, on pain of being immediately diſcharged and proſecuted.

VI. That they do not bring, or ſuffer to be brought in, any Liquors or Proviſions, of any Sort, to the Patients, from or by their Friends, or in any other way whatſoever.

## Patients.

I. THAT the Natural Patients, immediately upon their Admiſſion, deliver up to the Matron or Apothecary, or elſe to their Friends, their Money: And that thoſe who are to be inoculated do the ſame at their Admiſſion; whoſe Money is to be kept for them by the Apothecary of the *Houſe of Preparation*, and tranſmitted by him to the Apothecary of the *General Hoſpital*, and returned to the Patients, or their Friends, when they are diſcharged.

II. That, if any Money be found after ſearching them at their Admiſſion, the Perſons upon whom it is found be expelled, and the Money forfeited to the Uſe of the Charity.

III. That any Patient who ſhall deface any Part of the Walls or Buildings, by writing, cutting, &c. ſhall make good the ſame before his Diſcharge from the Hoſpital; and, if none of the Patients in that Ward will declare who has done the ſame, then they ſhall all contribute towards

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the Repair: And, if the Nurſes of that Ward ſhall ſuffer any Patient to be diſcharged, without giving Notice thereof to the Apothecary or Matron, they ſhall all contribute to pay for the ſame in their Stead.

IV. That, if a Patient get over the Wall, he ſhall forfeit the whole of his Money depoſited, and be thenceforth expelled the Houſe.

V. That they do not play at Dice, or any other unlawful Games.

VI. That they do not Swear, Curſe, or give any abuſive Language, or behave themſelves indecently, on pain of Expulſion.

VII. That they do not lie out of the Houſe on any Account whatſoever, nor even go out of Doors without Leave.

VIII. That they do not ſit up after Nine in Winter, and Ten in Summer, at fartheſt.

IX. That they do not ſend for, or receive in any Manner whatſoever, Proviſions of any Sort; Spirituous or any other Liquors; nor give away

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any of the Houſe-Proviſions, on pain of immediate Expulſion.

X. That ſuch Patients, as are able, do aſſiſt the Nurſes in taking care of the others; and do other Services in the Houſe, as far as is convenient and proper.

XI. That the Men do not go into the Womens Wards, nor the Women into the Mens.

XII. That every Patient take ſuch Medicines as are preſcribed by the Phyſician, and ſubmit to the Operations judged neceſſary.

XIII. That, when the Patients are cured, they ſhall return Thanks to the Governor who recommended them; as alſo in their reſpective Places of Public Worſhip.

THE END.